

Amendments to the Specification:

At page 1, above the "Title", please insert the following new heading:
TITLE OF THE INVENTION.

At page 1, please replace the title with the following amended title:
~~LITCHI SINENSIS EXTRACTS CONTAINING OLIGOMERIC~~
~~PROANTHOXYANIDINS~~
LITCHI SINENSIS EXTRACTS CONTAINING OLIGOMERIC
PROANTHOCYANIDINS AND PROCESSES OF MAKING THEREOF

At page 1, in the line after the Title, enter the following new heading and paragraph:

CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority under 35 USC § 365 from International Application PCT/EP2004/006415 filed June 15, 2004, which claims priority from EP 03014143.6, filed June 24, 2003.

Please replace the heading on page 1, line 1, with the following amended heading:

~~**Field of the Invention**~~ **FIELD OF THE INVENTION** .

Please replace the heading on page 1, line 7, with the following amended heading:

~~**Prior Art**~~ **BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION** .

Please add the following new heading on page 2, before line 12:
BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION.

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Please replace the heading on page 2, line 25, with the following new heading:

Description of the Invention BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION .

Please replace the heading on page 8, line 1, with the following amended heading:

CLAIMS What is claimed is:

Please add new page, 10, submitted herewith containing the Abstract of the Disclosure.